

NO AMERICANS JOIN FRENCH ARTILLERY CORPS

Chief Worker and Ambulance Driver Seek More Active Service at Front.

PARIS, April 24.—The first American citizens ever accepted for service in the artillery branch of the French

army are Dorsey Stephens of Los Angeles and Preston Lockwood of St. Louis, who passed their physical examinations to-day. Although they are nominally police on a salary of 5 cents daily, they will be accepted at the wonderful artillery training school at Fontainebleau within a month, as both are Rhodes scholars at Oxford. In the meantime they are studying up on geometry to enable them to pass the tests there.

The Fontainebleau course will acquaint them with the handling of all kinds of artillery, from trench mortars and seventy-fives up to the mammoth pieces moved on railroad tracks. Stephens has been working in Belgium with the American Relief Commission ever since the beginning of the war, and Lockwood has been an American ambulance driver at the front. Lockwood was a member of the staff of The World in New York City before coming to England to enter Oxford.

TWO AMERICANS BACK WEARING WAR MEDALS

One Saved Officers Under Fire and Was Given Command of Battery of "Turks."

Capt. Charles Sweeney of the French Foreign Legion, who arrived in this city to-day, brought with him the

Cross of War and the medal of the Legion of Honor, won in battle in France. For several months he was in command of a battery of sixteen "tanks" on the French front and has been furloughed at the request of the United States Army to give his own Government the benefit of his experience in tank construction. "The French tank," said Capt. Sweeney, a native of Spokane, Wash., "is a great improvement on the first British tank. It has all of the British immunity from rifle and machine gun fire, combined with speed sufficient to keep it well out ahead of charging troops."

Capt. Sweeney was promoted for gallantry in the Battle of the Marne and was made a Captain for rescuing his Colonel and Captain under fire in the Champagne, receiving wounds in the lung and liver. With Capt. Sweeney was Capt. L.

nel Corkins of the Serbian Medical Corps, a native of Oklahoma City. He received the Cross of the White Eagle for leading to safety a remnant of a regiment whose officers had all been killed in the great Serbian retreat to Greece.

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Glove Silk Sport Sweater Coats of superior quality; with sailor collar and belt; in Rose, Copenhagen Blue, Purple, White, Black or Green. 13.75

Thread Silk Sweaters with sailor collar or "V" neck; in a variety of desirable colors. 20.75

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For living-room, dining-room or library use. Sizes from 6.1 x 9 to 10.10 x 14.8 ft.

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In rich colorings, suitable for the country house or the Town house. Sizes from 13.5 x 18.7 to 14 x 24.4 ft.

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Lovers of Eastern Art will be interested in this choice stock of large and small sizes; the colorings are in exquisite Blues, Golds and Mandarin Yellows.

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From the Small Table Mat at.....15.00

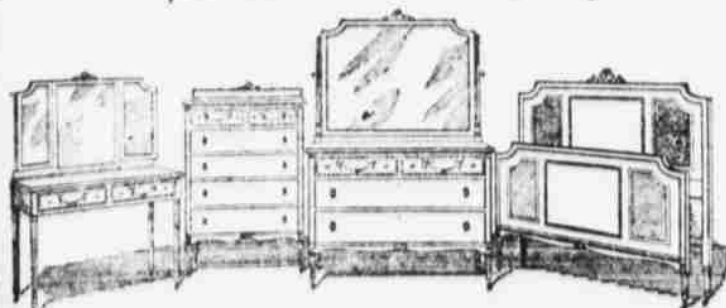
Up to the Large Rug, size 12 x 16 ft., at.....750.00

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McCreery "Master-Made" Furniture

Anticipating the increased cost of Furniture manufacture we placed contracts for many carloads of McCreery "Master-Made" Furniture several months ago at 15% to 20% less than present manufacturing cost, therefore we are now able to offer superior quality Furniture

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Thread Silk Hosiery with lisle tops and soles. Black or White.	Pair	69c
Lisle Hosiery—full fashioned. Black or White.	Pair	35c

Children's Ribbed Cotton Hosiery—Black or White; size 6 to 10.....6 pairs, 1.25

Children's Socks—White with fancy tops; also plain white.....6 pairs, 1.25

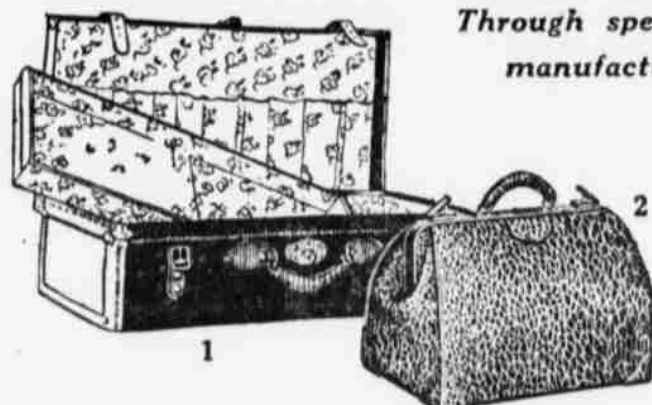
FOR MEN

Pure Silk Half Hose with reinforced soles, heels and toes; in Smoke, Gray, Tan, Navy Blue, White, Palm Beach and Black.	Pair	80c
Pure Silk Half Hose with lisle tops; in Tan, Palm Beach, White, Gray and Black.	Pair	40c
Lisle Thread and Silk Mixed Half Hose—in various colors, also plain Black in Fibre silk.	Pair	25c
Pure Silk Half Hose—extra fine quality. Fancy stripes and two-tone effects.	Pair	1.45

"Luggage Week"

OFFERING REMARKABLE VALUES

Through special arrangement with a number of dependable manufacturers we are able to quote exceptionally low prices on Trunks and Bags.



1. Week-end Case made of Black Enamelled Duck; separate tray; cretonne lining with pocket; case well-bound. Sizes 24, 26 and 28 inches. 4.50 regularly 7.00

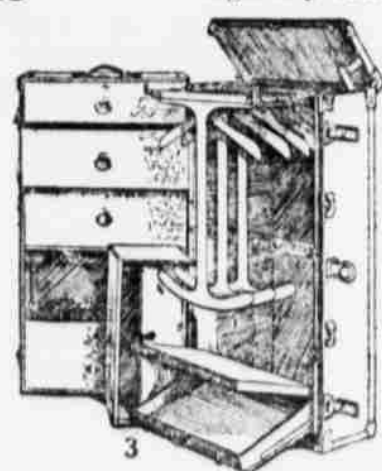
3. "Rite-Hite" Wardrobe Trunk made on three-ply veneer basswood frame; covered and interlined with hard vulcanized fibre; ten hangers, shoe box and laundry bag; five drawers, top one has lock and is divided; two lower drawers convertible for hats. 39.75 regularly 48.00

"McCreery Special" Dress Trunks made on three-ply veneer basswood frames, fibre covered and interlined; linen lined; two trays, top one divided for hats. Sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40 inches. 16.50 regularly 19.75

"McCreery Special" Steamer Trunks to match above Dress Trunks. Sizes 34, 36, 38 and 40 inches. 15.50 regularly 18.75

2. Geauine Walrus Oxford Bag,—full cut; French edges, sewn corners; leather lined; three pockets; solid brass trimmings; set-in lock and patent catches. 14.75 regularly 20.00

Light Weight Leather Suit Cases,—steel frames; leather corners; shirt pocket in lid. Sizes 24 and 26 inches. 5.25 regularly 7.50



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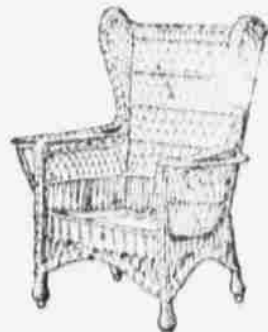
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A comprehensive assortment of Suites and Separate Pieces for Summer Homes, Bungalows and Porch use, at unusually low prices.



"Hudson" Armchair of Natural Willow. 3.35



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"Merrimac" Armchair of Natural Willow. 6.75

The above Armchairs may be stained any color for.....1.00 extra
Any of the above Chairs with rockers.....75c extra
Cretonne Seat Cushions, with edge, excellent quality cretonne.....1.25 each

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25% Less Than Regular Prices

750 Watches for men, women and children in solid 14-kt. and 10-kt. Gold, Sterling Silver, guaranteed 20-year quality Gold-filled, Nickel and Gun Metal finished cases.

Watches for Men and Boys

Watches,—12 size; 14-kt. Gold; plain polished open face cases; fitted with 7-jeweled Waltham movements. regularly 17.50 12.50

Watches,—12 size; 20-year quality; plain polished, open face cases; fitted with 7-jeweled Waltham movements. regularly 11.75 8.75

Wrist Watches,—Sterling Silver cases; fitted with 7-jeweled lever Swiss movements; leather wristlet. regularly 8.95 6.75

Ingersoll Watches

The "Yankee".....regularly 1.35 1.00

The "Eclipse".....regularly 2.00 1.50

The "Midget" Wrist.....regularly 3.25 2.45

Watches for Women and Misses

Watches,—O-size; 14-kt. Gold, open face, plain polished Cases; fitted with 7-jeweled Waltham movements. regularly 17.50, 12.50

Watches,—O-size; 20-year quality, plain polished, open face Cases; fitted with 7-jeweled Waltham movements. regularly 11.75, 8.75

Bracelet Watches—convertible style; extension Bracelet; fitted with 15-jeweled lever Swiss movement; white or gilt dials. regularly 21.50 15.75

Solid 14-kt. Gold.....regularly 17.50 12.50

Solid 10-kt. Gold.....regularly 11.75 8.75

Gold Filled 20-year quality.....regularly 11.75 8.75

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WOMEN'S BOOTS AND PUMPS

7.50

PUMPS Unusual Values

Patent Leather Pumps with Fawn or Pearl Gray Suede quarters; turned soles; Louis XV heels. 6.75

Black Russia Calf or Patent Leather Pumps; plain toe, turned soles; perforations around vamp and quarters; Louis XV heels. 7.50

Patent Leather or Dull Calf Pumps—imitation Wing tips; low heels. 7.50

BOOTS

Dull Kid Lace Boots with Pearl Gray, White Kid or Taupe Suede tops. 7.50

Patent Leather Lace Boots with White Kid tops. 7.50

Tan Mahogany Calf Lace Boots with White Kid tops. 7.50

All Black Kidskin Lace or Button Boots. 7.50

All Tan Russia Calf Lace Boots. 7.50

The Boots are fashioned on a new narrow toe, high arched last, with welted soles and leather Louis heels. Several models with low Military heels.

UMBRELLAS

For Men and Women

Umbrellas of excellent quality Black Silk,—sterling silver trimmed, plain or carved mission handles for men; also a good assortment of colored Umbrellas for women.

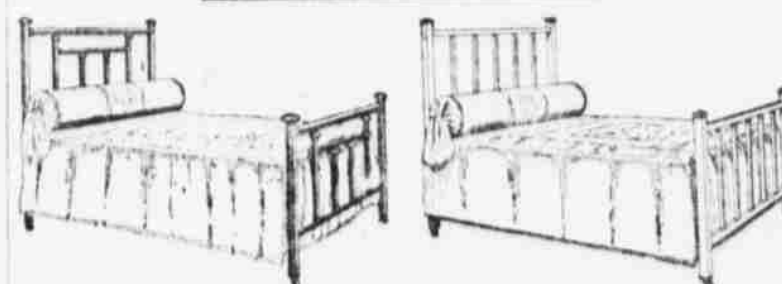
3.45

Gloria Umbrellas,—extra fine quality; sterling silver trimmed or plain handles. 2.75

Piece Dyed Umbrellas of fine quality; sterling silver trimmed handles for women and plain or carved wood handles for men. 1.75

Excellent Values

BEDDING WEEK



Brass Bed, as illustrated on left; with two-inch posts and top rods; 13 1/4 inch filler rods. 19.75

Enamelled Iron Bed, as illustrated on right; all square tubing; two-inch posts and five one-inch filler rods. 11.50

Solid Cedar Chests—42 inches long.....9.75

Utility Boxes—covered with Japanese matting.....1.95

French Upholstered Box Springs—72 spiral springs.....15.50

Special Black Hair Mattresses.....23.50

No. 1 Black Drawings Hair Mattresses; 45 pound weight; French roll edge.....37.50

Pure Live Goose Feather Pillows.....each 4.25

Colonial Four-post Beds with solid Mahogany posts and cross rails.....22.50